

1 THE HONORABLE RICHARD A. JONES

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4 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
5 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
6 AT SEATTLE

7 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

No. 2:21-cr-00023-RAJ

8 Plaintiff,

ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO  
CONTINUE TRIAL DATE AND  
PRETRIAL MOTION DEADLINE

9 v.

10 TAYLOR JAMES MATSON,

11 Defendant.  
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13 THE COURT, having considered the unopposed motion of Defendant Taylor  
14 James Matson to continue the trial date and pretrial motions deadline, FINDS:

- 15 a) Taking into account the exercise of due diligence, a failure to grant a  
16 continuance in this case would deny counsel for the defendant the  
17 reasonable time necessary for effective preparation due to counsel's need  
18 for more time to review the evidence consider possible defenses, and  
19 gather evidence material to the defense, as set forth in 18 U.S.C. §  
20 3161(h)(7)(B)(iv); and  
21 b) The failure to grant such a continuance in this proceeding could result in a  
22 miscarriage of justice, as set forth in 18 U.S.C. §3161(h)(7)(B)(i); and  
23 c) The additional time requested is a reasonable period of delay to allow  
24 defense counsel adequate time to prepare for trial, to investigate the  
matter, to gather evidence material to the defense, and to consider  
possible defenses; and

- 1 d) The ends of justice will best be served by a continuance, and the ends of  
2 justice outweigh the best interests of the public and the Defendant in any  
3 speedier trial, as set forth in 18 U.S.C. §3161(h)(7)(A); and  
4 e) That the period of delay from the date of this order to the new trial date is  
5 excludable time pursuant to U.S.C. §§3161(h)(7)(A) and (h)(7)(B)(I) &  
6 (iv).

7 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Defendant's Unopposed Motion to  
8 Continue Trial Date and Pretrial Motions Deadline (Dkt. # 22) is GRANTED. The  
9 trial date in this matter is continued to October 4, 2021. All pretrial motions,  
10 including motions in limine, shall be filed no later than August 20, 2021.

11 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the period of time from the date of this  
12 order, up to and including the new trial date of October 4, 2021, shall be excludable  
13 time pursuant to the Speedy Trial Act, U.S.C. §3161(h)(1)(D), (h)(7)(A) and  
14 (h)(7)(B).

15 DATED this 6th day of May 2021.

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17 The Honorable Richard A. Jones  
18 United States District Judge  
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